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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket: KATA-184

Applicant : Hideaki KATSUTA et al. Examiner: Rachel F. GORR
Serial No. : 10/630,813 Art Unit : 1711
Filed : July 31, 2003
For : LIGHT-COLORED WATER BASED INTERCOAT
COATING COMPOSITION AND MULTI-LAYER
COATING FILM FORMED BY USE OF THE SAME

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE
OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 29, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 29, 2004, please amend the application as follows and, then, please consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.